

## Message Text

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ACTION OC-05

INFO OCT-01 CCO-00 ISO-00 /006 W

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R 191445Z MAY 76

FM AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7991

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE BUCHAREST 2842

FOR OC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: (COMMUNICATIONS), EEWT, RO

SUBJECT: USE OF PRIORITY PRECEDENCE

REF: STATE 119023

1. REFTTEL NOTED THAT BUCHAREST 2662, WHICH WAS SENT FROM HERE 121550Z DID NOT REACH ACTION OFFICE UNTIL OPENING OF BUSINESS MAY 14, THE SECOND WORKING DAY FOLLOWING TRANS-MISSION. WHILE WE ARE NOW SENDING OUR TRAFFIC ON THE LONG-TERM AGREEMENT BY IMMEDIATE PRECEDENCE, WE BELIEVE THAT USE OF IMMEDIATE PRECEDENCE TO ENSURE DELIVERY AT BEGINNING OF NEXT WORKING DAY, CONSIDERING WE ARE SIX HOURS AHEAD OF WASHINGTON TIME, UNDERMINES PRECEDENCE SYSTEM.

2. FOR COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE: WAS DELIVERY OF BUCHAREST 2662 AN UNUSUAL CASE, OR DO ALL PRIORITY MESSAGES RISK SUCH DELAYED DELIVERY?  
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